

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

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1. (original) An information input-output device comprising:

al a service provision unit which has a database relating to services that can be provided to a subscriber, and verifies whether a person trying to access the database is a subscriber who can be provided with the variety of services; and

an input-output control unit which receives data from said service provision unit and outputs the data, wherein

data in the database is read out through operation from said input-output control unit; and

an authentication code is entered into said input-output control unit from which the data is desired to be output, and when the person is authenticated by said service provision unit as a subscriber who can be provided with the service, said input-output control unit receives the data and then outputs the data.

Claims 2-18 (canceled)

19. (new) An information input/output system, comprising:

a data storage unit configured to store data;

a server connected to the data storage unit and configured to store a plurality of authentication codes related to a plurality of users;

a controller connected to the server, wherein

the controller is configured to receive an authentication code related to a user, and to transmit the authentication code to the server, and

the server is configured to allow the controller to access the data in the data storage unit, and output the data accessed, when the authentication code received coincides with one of the plurality of authentication codes stored in the server.

20. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 19, wherein the data stored in the data storage unit is data that has been fetched by a scanner.

21. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 19, wherein the authentication code is received by the controller via a magnetic card or an IC card.

22. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 19, wherein the data is output by being printed out by an external device connected to the controller.

23. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 19, wherein the data is at least one of data related to newspaper or publication, sound source data, static image data, and moving picture data.

24. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 19, further comprising:

a mobile communication terminal configured to transmit to the controller the authentication code related to the user and an output job code corresponding to a process requested by the user, wherein

the controller is configured to receive the output job code, and to perform money charging and the output of the data both corresponding to the output job code.

25. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 24, wherein the money charging is performed using a cash collection device, into which a specified amount of money has been deposited, or electronic money.

26. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 24, wherein

the data is output by being printed out by an external device connected to the controller, and

the mobile communication terminal is configured to display a route to a location of the external device.

27. (new) An information input/output system, comprising:

a data storage unit configured to store data;

a server connected to the data storage unit and configured to store a plurality of authentication codes related to a plurality of users;

a controller connected to the server; and

a mobile communication terminal configured to receive an authentication code related to a user of the mobile communication terminal and to transmit the authentication code received to the controller, wherein

the data storage unit is configured to transmit the data to the mobile communication terminal,

the controller is configured to receive the authentication code from the mobile communication terminal, and to transmit the authentication code received to the server, and

the server is configured to allow the controller to output the data received by the mobile communication terminal, and perform money charging corresponding to the output of the data, when the authentication code received coincides with one of the plurality of authentication codes stored in the server.

28. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 27, wherein the authentication code is received by the controller via a magnetic card or an IC card.

29. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 27, wherein the data is output by being printed out by an external device connected to the controller.

30. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 27, wherein the data is at least one of data related to newspaper or publication, sound source data, static image data, and moving picture data.

31. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 27, wherein the money charging is performed using a cash collection device, into which a specified amount of money has been deposited, or electronic money.

32. (new) The information input/output system according to claim 27, wherein

the data is output by being printed out by an external device connected to the controller, and

the mobile communication terminal is configured to display a route to a location of the external device.

33. (new) A server comprising:

means for receiving data corresponding to a data output process requested by a user;

means for storing the data received;

al means for issuing the user a code corresponding to the data output process and for notifying the user of the code; and

means for transmitting the stored data to the user when the code is entered by the user.

34. (new) An input/output controller comprising:

a first interface configured to receive from a user a code corresponding to a data output process requested by the user;

a second interface configured to receive, from a server, data which has been stored in the server, the data corresponding to the code; and

a third interface configured to output the data via an output device.

35. (new) An input-output control method comprising the steps of:

receiving data corresponding to a data output process requested by a user;

storing the data received;

issuing the user a code corresponding to the data output process;

notifying the user of the code; and

transmitting the stored data to the user when the code is entered by the user.

36. (new) An input/output control method comprising the steps of:

receiving, from a user, a code corresponding to a data output process requested by the user;

receiving, from a server, data which has been stored in the server, the data corresponding to the code; and

outputting the data via an output device.

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